September 3, 2003

The Honorable Barbara Boxer 112 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510-0505

RE: USA PATRIOT Act (Public Law 107-56)

Dear Senator Boxer:

Thank you for your letter dated August 1, 2003 acknowledging that you share our concerns with the USA PATRIOT Act. We appreciate your thoughtful comments and the work you have undertaken to address these concerns.

On August 26, 2003, the Santa Barbara City Council adopted the enclosed Resolution that reiterates our concerns and reinforces our encouragement to you to take appropriate action to protect and restore our civil rights and liberties.

Sincerely,

Marty Blum Mayor

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cc: U.S. Attorney General John Ashcroft

California Governor Gray Davis

California Attorney General Bill Lockyear

U.S. Attorney Debra W. Yang

Federal Bureau of Investigation, Ronald L. Iden

Santa Barbara City Council Members